steps Government propose to take to ensure that these operators get weekly offs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) and (b) Inspector (Communications) is not authorised to transfer/shift Sub-Inspectors(Supvr.) from one Control Room to another Control Room. However, the Head Constables/Assistant Sub-Inspectors/Sub-Inspectors (Notional) posted in the District Control Room by the Deputy Commissioner of Police (Commn.) function under the administrative control of the Inspector in charge who deploys them for work in Control Room and Wireless Cabin of Police Stations as per requirement for which purpose he has been duly authorised by the Deputy Commissioner of Police (Commn.)

(c) and (d) No, Sir. The operators are given weekly rest or duty break subject to the requirement of work., Beside, the non-gazetted personnel of the Delhi Police are given one month's compensatory pay in lieu of the long hours of work and non-availing of the holidays and weekly off-days.

IPS Officers without Assignments in Delhi

4189. SHRI W. ANGOU SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the IPS officers now posted to the Delhi Police have been kept without allotting their assignments more than 3-4 months;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the names of officers who have not been given their assignments?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) to (c) There have been some instances where the officers whose services were placed at the disposal of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi had to wait for some time before they were formally given their assignments. However, as on date no IPS officer placed at the disposal of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi is awaiting posting.

Policy for Dealing Militancy problem in North-East Region

4190. SHRI VIZOL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the earlier conciliatory policy is proposed further to be persued or some other new policy have been evolved for dealing with militancy problems in the North-East region; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) and (b) There is not change in the policy of the Government with regard to settlement of all dispute through peaceful negotiations.

Cattle Menace on the Delhi Roads

4191. SHRI VIRENDRA KATARIA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi High court had recently issued notices to MCD and the NDMC regarding cattle/animals menace on the roads of the city;

(b) whether there has been a growing menace of stray dogs also in various locations in the city;

(c) if so, the steps Government propose to take to check the growing menace of stray cattle on the roads and in the colonies?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The practice of eliminating stray